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cal Jaycee-ettes in effort aid GI's planning Christmas arty for Vietnamese people

you have been seeing some of the around town in various stores put by the local Jayee-ettes and have wondering about whether you should that something to the cause, the folgletter received by Mrs. Robert C. mother of Douglas Corey, from the mading officer under whom Douglas we serving in Vietnam should more explain what the boxes are all about. In your contribution the better for is running out as regards Christmas and for those so far away. — The

Mrs. Cross

the Christmas Season approaching, things begin running through the sof men serving in Vietnam. Such as our families, friends, churches, etown, and maybe even getting short son a fresh and special meaning. But of the utmost things in our mind is we will spend Christmas Day.

stmaster a**nnounces** w posta**l rates**

stmaster Murray L. Crone reminded al customers today that higher parcel and catalog rates will go into effect arday, October 19.

the rate increase will average 10.5 per tand in most cases will mean an admal ten cents postage per parcel. The higher rates were approved by the rate Commerce Commission in July. The new rates the minimum ge for local parcel delivery will go at the to 50 cents. The minimum charge parcels destined outside the local detry area will be raised from 50 cents.

most all parcels are charged to \$1.10 er present rates will go up 10 cents. accounts for more than 80 per cent ill parcel post, Postmaster Crone point-

here will be a 15-cent hike on most tels now charged between \$1.10 and and a 20 cent increase on parcels now

arcel post rates are based on the ght of the package and the distance s mailed.

gher rates for the delivery of packages catalogs are required to bring revenue this type of mail within four per of operating costs, as required by Postmaster Crone explained. The rates are designed to put parcels catalogs, which are fourth-class mail, threak-even basis.

dditional revenue is needed from parpost and catalogs to off-set higher is resulting from pay increases apwed last year for postal employees. The men of the 1st Battalion, 27th Artillery located in Dau Tieng have 24 Vietnamese men and 46 Vietnamese women working in the Headquarters Battery area. This represents 65 families with 236 children. The men of this Headquarters have decided that in keeping with the Christmas spirit of giving, we are going to have all of these Vietnamese as our

special guests for Christmas Day.

As with every Christmas party we will give presents, sing, play games, and have plenty of good food. We thought that you might like to join us in this celebration by sending some clothes, toys, food, candies, soap, etc. to this Healquarters to be given to these Vietnamese families. If you send clothes, please remember that the weather is hot in Vietnam the year round. Also, women and girls in Dau Tieng wear only long pants and blouses. Men wear mostly shorts or work-type pants and shirts. I might also remind you that the average height for a Vietnamese man or woman is four and a half to five feet. Toys that do not require electricity or batteries for all ages will be treasured by these children. Food and candies which can be stored for approximately a month as well as any type of cleansing or toiletry articles would make a prize gift to any Vietnamese family. If you wish to join us in this Vietnamese Christmas, please send your gifts to the Commanding Officer, Headquarters Battery, 1st Battalion, 27th Artillery, APO San Francisco 96268.

As Christmas comes our hearts will be with our loved ones no matter how far away they may be. This means that our hearts will also be with the Vietnamese people, because it is for them that we serve in this land so that they may someday enjoy the complete and peaceful freedom which we Americans enjoy and treasure so much. The 1st Battalion, 27th Artillery and the Vietnamese people will be forever grateful for your gifts.

Merry Christmas Roy W. Wilson CPT, SigC Commanding

Voting days revealed by clerk's office

Lessye Silvers, County Clerk, stated recently that the absentee balloting will begin October 16 and go until November 1 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday thru

New residents to Texas are eligible to vote for President and Vice President are to vote from October 21 until November 1.

All those people living in the county less than six months and who are eligible to vote are to vote in the County Clerk's

★ Notice:

The Morton Tribune is printed on Wednesday each week. Therefore news stories turned in after 5 p.m. Tuesday are too late for publication We want to publish all the local news each week and in order to do so we are asking that everyone please cooperate with us by getting your news to us on Monday of each week if possible and no later than Tuesday at the very latest.

Donald Whittenburg to manage Morton gin

The past week Donald Whittenburg of Levelland became the new manager of the Morton Gin Co.

Whittenburg is a native of Hockley county and is the nephew of John W. Hall of

His parents are Mr. and Mrs. George Whittenburg who run the Green Card Gin Levelland.

The gin received and ginned the first bale of cotton for Cochran County under the management and ownership of Mark Kennedy. Unfortunately, Kennedy passed away the night after the first bale was ginned and this ling time ginner died only a few days afterward. However, Whittenburg will continue to operate the gin.

County Farm Bureau to hold annual meet

According to G. O. Cooper, president of the Cochran County Farm Bureau, the organization's annual meeting will be held Thursday, October 17, at 8:00 p.m., in the banquet room of the ounty Activity Building.

A full evening of entertainment and business is planned.

County Resolutions will be adopted, voting delegates to go to the State onvention November 1-4 at Dallas will be selected, and four County directors are to be elected.

Music for the occasion will be provided by the Brownlow Family.

Refreshments will be served and many drawings for prizes. A grand prize of two pair of Safemark Tires will be awarded.

Filing cabinet found on Cochran farm

According to local law enforcement officers, a mutilated filing cabinet was found on a farm north and east of Morton and reported by a farmer to the Sheriff's department.

Nothing was found at the scene in the way of contents. It is not known how long the cabinet had been there or from whence it came.



Frank Ford with Mortonites . . .

FRANK FORD, Republican condidate for State Representative from this district, is shown with a group of Morton friends during a recent visit to the city. Left to right are Mrs. Melvin Coffman, Melvin Coffman, Mrs. Van Greene, Ford, Roy Hickman, and Mrs. Lloyd Miller Design Studio Photo

Three Way School

Annual banquet honoring area teachers set for October 22

The annual Teacher-Appreciation Banquet is scheduled for Tuesday, October 22, at 8:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria. The banquet is being sponsored this year by the Morton Area Chamber of Commerce, the Morton Lions Club, and the Whiteface Lions Club. Guest speaker will be Dr. Lamb of Lubbock. Dr. Lamb is head of the nutrition department of Home Economics at Texas Tech, and is widely known as an excellent speaker.

Teachers from seven area schools will be honored at this year's event. Those included are Morton, Whiteface, Bledsoe, Three Way, Bula, Pep and Lingo.

Tickets are on sale to the general public. They can be purchased at the Chamber of Commerce office, from Lions throughout the area, or from Deryl Bennett at the First State Bank. The price

Class president

John St. Clair, of Morton, was recently elected president of the Sophomore Class of South Plains College, Levelland, for the 1968-69 term. John is a sports enthusiast and was a member of the Flaming Spurs, awarded Outstanding Student in Chemistry and made the Dean's List. He is majoring in pre-dentistry.

tober 22 Harvest Festival to be held Oct. 21

of tickets is \$2.50 each. A large turnout is expected for the event.

This banquet gives us an opportunity to meet the teachers not only from our own

The Three Way School will be hosting a Harvest Festival Tuesday, October 22.

The king and queen candidates for our Harvest Festical are the following; 1st

Harvest Festical are the following; 1st grade, Mitzi Altman and Wayne Parkman, 2nd grade Beverly Dupler and Ken Eubanks, 3rd grade, Patti Bowers and Jerry Waltrip, 4th grade, Gloria Simpson and Craig Kirby, 5th grade, Shannon Sowder and Bill Hodnett, 6th grade, Stella Cantu and Kent Hicks, 7th grade, Danette Lane and Paul Huff, 8th grade, Ann Warren and James Partlow, 9th grade, Mary Lou Mercado and Domingo Perez, 10th grade, Cynthis Long and Larry Trevathan, 11th grade, Joy Boyce and J. L. Hutcheson, 12th grade, Pam Locke and Wendelf Williams.

County loan rate for grain sorghum is set

The loan rate for grain sorghum in Cochran County is \$1.63 for eligible grain sorghum. To be eligible for the loan it must have been produced on a farm that has participated in the feed grain program. The grain must also meet the following requirements.

A. The grain sorghum must be merchantable and must not contain substances poisonous to man or animals.

B. Warehouse stored grain sorghum to be eligible for loan must not contain over 14 percent moisture and otherwise grade No. 4 or better, the grain sorghum may: 1. Grade "Smutty"; 2 Grade "weevily" if the warehouse receipt is accompanied by a supplemental certificate indicating delivery will be made of eligible grain sorghum not grading "weevily"; 3 Contain over 14 percent moisture if the warehouse receipt is accompanied by a supplemental certificate indicating delivery will be made grain sorghum containing not over 14 percent moisture.

of salary increase. The September Police Report was read at the meeting. It was reported that a total of 22 tickets had been issued and hat there were 23 violations. There were 7 accidents in the city in September with only one injury being reported as a result.

community, but from the entire area. It

is an opportunity to become better ac-

quainted with the people that teach our

children. Many of these teachers are new

to our community. This is another op-

portunity to welcome them as new neigh-

bors. Remember the time of this banquet

and plan to attend, you will be glad you

Morton city council

holds regular meeting

The Morton city council held its regular

business meeting at 7:00 p.m. Monday,

October 14, Mayor Jack Russell presi-

ding. All members were present. Herman

Bedwell gave the invocation and minutes

of the last meeting were read and approv-

ed. All bills were authorized paid. Dr.

Fanella Frey was appointed to the posi-

tion of City Health Officer to serve from

A motion was made and carried that

the city make \$10,000 available from cer-

tificates of deposits for airport improve-

ments subject to legality of agreement

with county and subject to approval of

the City Council. Also at the meeting, the

salary of Lee Belcher of the street depart-

ment was raised in the amount of \$15.00

a month and R. R. Horton, cemetery

caretaker also received the same amount

The approximate damage to vehicles involved was \$2360.00.

October 15, 1969.

Punt, Pass and Kick contest held in Morton on October 12

The boys who competed in the Annual Punt, Pass, and Kick Contest assembled with other guests last Monday, October 14 in the Morton School Cafeteria at 8:00 p.m. to receive their awards. About 75 persons were in attendance for the affair. Leon Mills, representing Reynolds-Hamilton Ford, presented numerous trophies to the boys.

After the awards were presented, Coach Lane Tannehill presented and narrated a film on the Morton-Ralls football game. After the awards and the film, refreshments were served all those present.

The Punt, Pass, and Kick competition was held last Saturday, October 12 on the Morton Indian football stadium under the supervision of Morton coaches and Reynolds-Hamilton Ford. The competition

The top winners of the contest were: Rodney L. Cooper, Whiteface, winner in the 8 year old group; Rusty Lamar, Morton, winner in the 9 year old group; Malcolm W. Coleman, Morton, winner in the 10 year old group; Leslie Bills, Whiteface, winner in the 11 year old group; Clifford E. Dupler, Maple, winner in the 12 year old group; and Dean Hill, Morton, winner in the 13 year old group. These boys will meet at Reynolds-Hamilton Ford at 8:00 a.m. Saturday and will travel to Lubbock to compete in Area competition. If any of the boys win in Lubbock, they will travel to Dallas for District competition, to St. Louis for Regional competition, and possibly on to Miami for the



nt, Pass and Kick winners . . .

THESE YOUNG IMEN are shown with the trophies they won in the recent Punt, Pass and Kick competition, sponsored by Reynolds-Hamilton Ford. They are, left to right, top row, Johnny Fietz, Clifford Dupler, Dean Hill, Malcolm Cole-

man, Leslie Bills, Wesley Bentley, and Robbie Gettis. Bottom row, Lanny Tyson, Rusty Lamar, Coy Merritt, Ralph Mason, Rodney Cooper, Monty Hodge, Bart Hale, Kenneth Harvey, and Dexter Johnson.

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We would like to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the kindness shown during my recent illness. The lovely cards and flowers that were sent.

Also a special thanks to Dr. Frey and the Nursing Staff at Cochran Memorial Your kindness will always be remember-

> Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Ramsey and DeAnn

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank everyone for the food, cards, flowers, money, and many kindnesses extended our families during the recent loss of our husband, father, and brother.

The James "Pete" Turney Family The Roy Turney Family

The Charles Turney Family The Walter Reeves

Mrs. O. W. Ferguson and children Mrs. Aileen Beene

NOTICE -

CLERK'S NOTICE OF ESTRAY THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF COCHRAN Taken up by Claude Drenman and estrayed before Joe Gipson, Justice of The Peace, Precinct No. 1, Cochran County, Texas, the following described animal, to be known . . . setray . . . viz. 3 coming two year old heifers, weighing around 500 lbs. each. One is red with white face, two are black with speckled faces and branded an unknown brand on the left side . . . worth unknown the owner of said stock is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take the same away, or it will be dealth with as the law directs. Given under my hand and seal of office, this 1st day of Octo-

> LESSYE SILVERS County Clerk Cochran County, Texas 3t-34-c

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COCHRAN

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Commissioner having been appointed by the Comissioners Court of Cochran County, Texas, at a regular meeting of said Court held on the 5 day of Nov., 1968, a quorum being present, to sell the hereinafter described property at public auction, will sell said property at public auction at the Court House door of said County between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 P.M. to the highest bidder for cash on the 5th day of November, 1968, which date is at least twenty days from the date hereof and of publication of this notice. Said property is described as

Lots Three (3), Four (4), Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7) and Eight (8), Block Thirteen (13) of the Crow Subdivision of Acreage Block Thirteen (13), of the Original Town of Morton, Cochran County,

The right to reject bids if said bids are not sufficient is reserved in said

Dated this 14 day of Oct., 1968. J. A. Love, Commissioner To be published in the Morton Tribune October 17, 24, and 31, 1968.

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COCHRAN

Notice is hereby given that the Cochran County Commissioners' Court will receive bids for the purchase of a Fire Truck to be used for rural fire protection. Bids will be opened at 10:00 A.M. in the Commissioners' Courtroom, Room 103, County Courthouse, Morton, Texas, October 31, 1968. Specifications are available at the County Judge's office.

J. A. Love, County Judge To be published in the Morton Tribune October 17 and 24, 1968.

Cox rites held Tues., Oct. 15, in Lubbock; Interment in Morton

Services for John English Cox, 61, and a former resident of Morton, Muleshoe, and Lovington, were held at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, October 15, in Franklin-Bartley Funeral Home Chapel in Lubbock with the Rev. Rex Mauldin, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Morton officiating. Burial was in the Morton Memorial Ceme-

Cox died Saturday, October 12, in Harlingen Hospital. He was a brother to Mrs. L. B. Childs

of Morton. Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Warren Sr., of Goodland, have as their guest this week Mrs. R. H. Unger of Big Springs.

The Editor's own "I'm Sorry" dept.

was written in an effort to introduce a very fine gentleman, a new-comer to this area, who is serving as superintendent of schools at Bledsoe. In this story we attempted to list the educational qualification, etc., of Don M. Weaver and intended that his picture also appear with the

The reason that we are so sure Weaver is a very fine gentleman is the fact that, although his picture was left out and his qualifications misquoted, he never-the-less



Don Weaver

was unruffled when he brought the matter to our attention in a visit to this of-

Without further ado we wish to state that Weaver is well qualified as an educator in that he has Bachelor of Science and Master of Administrative Education from Texas A&M University.

We are happy at the Tribune to be able to make this correction and to herewith publish the likeness of Superintendent Weaver. One line of type failed to cast on the "lino" and was unnoticed by our proof-reader . . . just why the picture was left out we'll probably never know but of one thing we are sure, it wasn't inten-

We at the Tribune stand ready to correct, with apologies, any error which we may make if and when they are brought to our attention. We feel sure we are already forgiven by the Weavers and for that we are very grateful.

Ta-Wan-Ka Camp Fire Girls met October 3

The Ta-Wan-Ka Camp Fire Girls met October 3 in the home of their leader Mrs. Reeder.

One of their requirements was to have a salad luncheon and invite their mothers or a guest.

Those present were: Jeanie Coker, her guest was Linda Brown; Debra Williams, her guest was Sandra Akin; Judy Steed, her guest was Emlea Smith; Debbie Adarms and Mrs Bobby Adams; and Cassan, dra Reeder, and Mrs. Rusty Reeder. It was enjoyed by all. Each girl prepared her own salad.

That was their last requirement in their Fire Maker rank. They each received their beads they earned at the Camp Fire Ceremonial October 8. Judy Steed received her three year pin. Cassandra Reeder and Debra Williams each received five year pins.

Sunday School class concred with tea

going Jr. girls Sunday School class of Three Way Baptist Church was held Sunday, October 6, in the home of Miss Danette Lane.

Those attending were Gloria Simpson, Judy Neutzler, Cindy Hutcheson, Etta Warren, Sheryle Lynskey, Rena Neutzler, Terry Ann Warren, Kay Fine, Danette Lane, Debra Gilliam, Debbie Furgeson, Cindy Hanna, Kandice Sowder, Mrs. F. D. Fine, Mrs. Joe Sowder, Mrs. Ed Neutzler, Mrs. O. A. Warren Jr., Mrs. Jack Jutcheson, Mrs. Perry Lynskey.

Hostesses were Mrs. Jack Lane and Mrs. Arlen Simpson.

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NEWS from WHITEFACE

by: SANDRA KEITH

The Whiteface Ex-Student Association cordially invites you to attend the Annual Homecoming on Saturday November 2, 1968. A big day has been planned for you and we hope you will make plans to attend. To begin the festivities, there will be a Homecoming Parade at 10:30 a.m., followed by a Barbecue Lunch at 12:00 noon at the Gymnasium. Proceeds from the lunch will go to the new Community Park and an All-Sports Banquet. At 1:30 p.m. there will be a football game with Anton. Following the game, an Ex-Student Meeting will be held in the High School Auditorium. The banquet at 6:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria will give special recognition to the classes of 1965 and 1966. Tickets for the banquet may be purchased at the South Gate of the stadium for \$1.75. This ticket will enable you to attend the football game without charge. Saturday November 2 will also feature a Come-and-go Open House at the secondary school. This building has been remodeled this summer and a great deal of improvements have been made. Principal Charlie Booz attended the

Secondary School Principal's Convention in Dallas. He left for the three day convention on Saturday, October 12 and is now back on the job in Whiteface.

Candidates for Homecoming Queen were announced this week at Whiteface High School, They are Charla Booz, Dianne Deavours, Linda Greer, Gwin Lewis, and Rita Linder. The name of the Queen will be announced in a school assembly on Friday November 1. These lovely young ladies can be seen in the parade on Saturday morning and they will be presented at the Homecoming game that afternoon.

Class meetings were held last Friday at Whiteface High School. Homecoming was the main topic of discussion and all classes voted to enter floats in the Homecoming Parade.

The Whiteface chapters of the Future Homemakers of America and the Future Farmers of America will hold meetings this week. On the agendla for the Future Homemakers is formal initiation of new

On Mondlay October 14 the Southern Assembly Programs sponsored the appearance of Jack Chase in a demonstration of wheelchair basketball.

Also on Monday, October 14, there was another try at taking school pictures. The first attempt proved a failure when the

The Whiteface Antelopes brought home another victory last Friday night when they defeated the Tatum Coyotes 19-0. Fullback Rick Swinney rambled for three touchdowns to lead the team to victory. Early in the game Swinney made a 75 yard run that put the Texans out in front. Dale Burris passed to Mike Teer for the conversion. A 5 yard run by Swinney in the second made the score 13-0 at half time. That's the way it stood until the fourth, when the fullback again went 20 yards for the touchdown. In all, Swinney carried the ball 26 times for 251 yards. The team has an open date this week.

The people of Whiteface contributed several boxes and sacks of goods and a mattress and springs to the Marin family of Sundown. They were struck by tragedy about two weeks ago when a gas fire explosion destroyed their house and killed two of their children. The dead were ages 9 and 16. A five year old girl was also seriously injured. There are seven remaining children.

Mrs. Jimmie Tilley wishes to thank everyone who sent flowers, food, and other expressions of kindness during the recent illness and death of her mother. Mr. & Mrs. Royce Elam, Joe Don and Linda recently attended a family reunion

in Weatherford, Texas. Mr. & Mrs. Stan McCoy and baby of Guymon, Oklahoma, were recent visitors

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with Stan's grandmother, Lura Read, and his uncle and family, the Dale Reads. Wednesday, October 16, was Family Night for the Whiteface United Methodist Church. Members of the church and their guests enjoyed a fine meal and excellent fellowship. Mrs. Willie Peters is chairman of the Family Night Committee. Mrs. L. B. Adams was admitted to the

Levelland Clinic and Hospital on October 11 with double pneumonia. At last report she was still in the hospital.

Mr. & Mrs. James Baker were weekend visitors in the home of Rev. and Mrs. L. W. Baker. James sang the special at the morning services of the Methodist Church Sunday. O. C. Rankin is scheduled to enter West

Texas Hospital in Lubbock Thursday, Oc-

tober 17. He will have surgery done on his eye Friday morning. Mrs. Rankin has been ill for several days with laryn-A W.S.C.S. Sub-District meeting will be held at the First United Methodist Church in Littlefield on Thursday, October 17. Theme for the meeting is "It's a New

Day." Several women from the Whiteface Methodist Church plan to attend. The members of the Whiteface Garden Club have a tour scheduled for Saturday, October 19. They will meet at the home of Mrs. R. K. McCoy and travel together from there to Texas Tech at Lubbock. A condlucted tour of hrysanthemum ol rama will be taken. The ladies will enjoy

sights and so some shopping. Rev. Harold Harrison and his family will be moving to Whiteface this week to assume the duties of the Baptist pastor. His first sermon will be presented on Sunday, October 20.

a dutch treat cafeteria lunch afterward.

During the afternoon, they will enjoy the

The Whiteface Baptist Church held a Fellowship and Appreciation Party Sunday night, October 13, for Harold Drennan of Morton. He has been interim pastor for the church until a full time pastor could be hired. Drennan is a principal in the Morton Schools.

Mrs. Jack Furgeson was in McKinney last week and while there took her fatherin-law, G. W. Furgeson, to the arthritis clinic in Ardmore, Oklahoma.



Carol Elizabeth Hunter

Charles Ledbetter to wed Carol Hunter

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Hunter No. 1 Town and Country Lane, St. Mo., have announced the engagent their daughter, Carol Elizabeth, Charles Coleman Ledbetter, son of and Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter, Morton

They are to be married Novem in Webster Hills Methodist Church Louis.

Miss Hunter is a former resident. Levelland, where she lived while a ing Texas Tech. She received her d from Tech in 1967 and is now teach Waco, Texas, where Mr. Ledbetter senior student in Baylor University a 1967 graduate of South Plains Co

Funeral held in Clarksville

The Reverend and Mrs. Hugh Norwood of the Three Way B Church were called to Clarksville day, October 8, due to the death of Norwood's uncle, Mr. R. L. Mills

The funeral was held Thursday, 0 10, at 2:30 p.m. in the First B Church in Clarksville



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c.C. Garden Club fall lower show huge success

The Cochran County Garden Club preted its annual Fall Flower Show titled his is My Country" on October 12 in the nty Activity Building.

n honors were taken by Mrs. Murray ne who won the Sweepstakes award in istic Design and Mrs. C. B. Jones who the Sweepstakes award in Horticul-

Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts won the Award Merit for the Horticulture division, Mrs. one Porter won the Tricolor award for best arrangement using all fresh ers in the designated classes. Mrs. rray Crone won the Award of Distincon for her arrangement in all dried or herwise preserved materials. Mrs. Roy won the Award of Creativity for the st creative arrangement.

Miss Lisa Bennett won an award of eciation in the Junior Division. As annual show opened for viewing by public music was presented by the school sextet under the direction of Rex Mauldin. The six girls are Peg-Thomas, Donna Williams, Ruthie ith Rheda Brown, Deborah Miller and vian McDaniels. They presented three riotic numbers including "This is My "America" and "This Land is prics of the songs thrilled all those who by Land". Their beautiful voices and the

Winners in the Artistic Design division of flower show were: Class 1, "The derness is Tamed"; Mrs. Bobby Travis, irst; Jerry Iley, first; Mrs. Wayne Portfirst; Mrs. Roy Hill, third. Class, "Inian Fires", Mrs. Murray Crone, first; drs. C. D. Hill, first; Mrs. Fred Payne, ird: Mrs. Wayne Porter, third; Mrs. Elod Harris, second. Class 3, "One Nation der God," Mrs. Bobby Travis, first; Mrs. Elwood Harris, second.

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Murray Crone, first; Mrs. Charles Jones,

Class 5, "Emblem Waving Over All", Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts, second; Class 6, "Vote and Have Your Say" Mrs. Murray Crone, first; Mrs. Roy Hill, second; Mrs. C. B. Jones, third. Class 7, "Salute too Our Men in Uniform", Mrs. Murray Crone, first; Mrs. Bobby Travis, second; Mrs. Roy Hill, third; Mrs. Warne Porter, first.

Class 8, "To Love and Serve and Keep the Land", Mrs. Murray Crone, first; Mrs. Wayne Porter, first; Mrs. Charles Jones, second; Mrs. Roy Hill, third. Class 10, "Enlighten the Disillusioned", Mrs. Murray Crone, first; Mrs. Bobby Travis; second; Mrs. Wayne Porter, third. Class 11, "High Rise Buildings", Mrs. Murray Crone, first; Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts, second. Class 12, "Sense of Wonders", Mrs. Murray Crone, first; Mrs. Bobby Travis, second. Class 14, "Count Down", Mrs. Bobby Travis, first; Mrs. Charles Jones, second. Class 17, "I Lift My Lamp", Mrs. Murray Crone, first; Mrs. Bobby Travis, second. Class 18, "Because We Care", Mrs. Charles Jones, first. Class 19, "Birthquake", Mrs. Charles Jones, first; Mrs. Bobby Travis, second; Mrs. L. G. Scroggins, first. Class 20, "Did We Come All This Way for This", Mrs. Roy Hill, first; Mrs. Bobby Travis, second; Mrs. Elwood Harris, second; Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts, first, Class 22, "On Guard", Mrs. W. B. McSpadden, first; Mrs. Murry Crone, first; Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts, first.

Class 23, "Economic Opportunity", Mrs. C. D. Hill, third. Class 24, "Forecast Unknown", Mrs. Elwood Harris, first. Class 25, "Strength for Today", Mrs. L. G. Scroggins, honorable mention. Class 26, "We're Bitter About Litter", Mrs. C. D. Hill, second; Mrs. Fred Payne, third.

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Flower show winners . . .

AMONG THOSE winning awards at the Cochran County Garden Club Flower Show Saturday, October 12 were left. to right: Mrs. Wayne Porter, who won the Tricolor Award;

Mrs. Murray Crone, who won the Award of Distinction and the Sweepstakes in the Artistic Division; and Mrs. Roy Hill, who won the Award for Creativity.

ment of Agriculture.

production, state totals alone do not pro-

vide adequate information on our most

basic industry, Agriculture, the county

agent explained. This is a joint project,

he said, between the Texas Department

of Agriculture and the Statistical Report-

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Because of the importance of the pro-

gram, the county agent urges every pro-

ducer in the county who receives a

questionnaire from the Crop and Live-

stock Reporting Service to fill it out com-

pletely for his farm or ranch and return

it to the Austin office of the Reporting

JUNIOR ARTISTIC DESIGN DIVISION:

Class 3, "You Name It, We've Got It", Wyn Crone, first. Class 5, "You Said It, I Didn't", Gail Lasseter, third; Class 6, "Off We Go Into The Wild Blue Yonder", Lisa Bennett, first, Wyn Crone, first; Gail

Winners in the Horticulture Division are: Pot Plants - Green Foliage Plants -Mrs. Charles Jones, first. Colored Foliage, Mrs. Ray Carter, first; Mrs. Wayne Porter, third. Succulents, Mrs. Charles Jones, second. Class 4, Unscheduled, Mrs. Ray Car-

BULBS AND BULB LIKE STRUCTURE; Canna, Mrs. M. A. Tanner, first; Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts, third. DAHLIAS: Informal Decorative (purple) Mrs. M. A. Tanner, first. Formal Decorative, Mrs. M. A. Tanner, First, second and two thirds (in color classes), Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts, third. Ball type Dahlia, Mrs. C. B. Jones, first; Mrs. M. A. Tanner, second, Miniature: Mrs. Howard Scoggins, two seconds (in color classes) Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts, second; Mrs. J. L. Schooler, first.

ANNUALS - Class 13, Summer Poinsetta: Mrs. C. B. Jones, first. Ornamental Pepper, Mrs. C. B. Jones, first; Mrs. Ray Carter, second, Bachelor Button, Mrs. C. B. Jones, first. Joseph's Coat, Mrs. C. B. Jones, first; Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts, second. Giant Asters, Mrs. M. A. Tanner, first. Marigolds-Dwarf: Mrs. J. L. Schooler, first; Mrs. M. A. Tanner, second. Giant Marigolds: Mrs. C. B. Jones, first. Petunias (single), Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts, first. Zinnias - small - Mrs. J. L. Schooler, first and second; Mrs. C. B. Jones, first. Schooler, first; Mrs. C. B. Jones, third. Cosmas; Mrs. Wayne Porter, first; Mrs. C. B. Jones, first, Bells of Ireland: Mrs. J. L. Schooler, second; Mrs. Ray Carter, third. Verbena: Mrs. Ray Carter, second; Mrs. Wayne Porter, third. Phlox: Mrs. C. B. Jones, first. Mexican Sunflower: Mrs. Wayne Porter, first; Princess Feather: Mrs. J. L. Schooler, first. Cockscomb: Mrs. J. L. Schooler, first (in red); Mrs. C. B. Jones, first (in pink). Unscheduled Annuals: Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts, first; Mrs. Roy Hill, second.

PERENNIALS, Flowering Jew: Mrs. Charles Jones, first. Snapdragon: Mrs. J. L. Schooler, three seconds (in color classes). Pansy: Mrs. Ray Carter, first. Spiderwart: Mrs. C. B. Jones, first. Tritoma (orange): Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts, second. Pinks: Mrs. C. B. Jones, first. Carnations: Mrs. Ray Carter, first. Gillardia (single), Mrs. Roy Hill, third; Gillardia (double), Mrs. C. B. Jones, first. Unscheduled Perennials: Mrs. C. Jones, first; Mrs. Charles Jones, first; Mrs. C. B. Jones, first, Mrs. Roy Hill,

ROSES: Hybred Tea (ivory); Mrs. W. E. Grantham, second. (peach): Mrs. C. B. Jones, first. (Peace) Mrs. Bobby Travis, second. (Floribunda) pink, Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts, first. (climbers): Mrs. C. D.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS - Pompom: Mrs. Elwood Harris, second; Mrs. C. B. Jones, first. Button: Mrs. C. B. Jones, first; Mrs. M. A. Tanner, first; Mrs. Ray Carter, second; Mrs. M. A. Tanner, third. Single or Daisy Type: Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts, first; Mrs. M. A. Tanner, first. Decorative: Mrs. Bobby Travis, first; Mrs. Fred Payne, first; Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts,

VINES & SHRUBS FOR COLOR ONLY Shrubs: Mrs. Murray Crone, first; Mrs. C. B. Jones, first; Mrs. M. A. Tanner, first. Herbs: Sage: Mrs. Ray Carter, first; Mrs. Roy Hill, second; Mrs. Murray Crone, third. Tansy: Mrs. Ray Carter, first. Cat Nip: Mrs. Ray Carter, first.

BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE

The High Plains Library Bookmobile will be in Morton October 23 between the hours of 9:30 a.m. and 12 noon.

Whether we like it or not, frost and freezing weather are just around the corner. The change in weather will affect plant growth. When the growth of all members of the sorghum family, including johnsongrass, sudan, milo, forage sorghums and all hybrids, is stopped by frost, they sometimes develop a high prussic acid content and become a hazard to grazing livestock. Certain chemical changes occur in the frost wilted plants and are responsible for the prussic acid development. The poison acts quickly and can kill an animal within a very short time after the damaged plant is eaten. Whether a poisoned animal can be saved depends upon how soon a veterinarian can get to it.

Frosted Johnsongrass or sorghum should not be grazed until the damaged plants are as dry as good quality hay or for at least a week after the frost. If it is ready to cut for hay before the frost, it may be cut immediately, provided adequate curing time is allowed. Silage made from frost-damaged plants is safe as soon as the ensiling process is complete.

Young plants or second growth suckers are more likely to cause trouble than older plants nearing maturity. Too, the more luxuriant the growth, the more likely the plants will be dangerous when their growth is interrupted.

Information supplied by some 35,000 Texas farmers and ranchers will become the basis for the official crop production estimates for each county and the state

A representative number of farmers and ranchers in Cochran County will be among the 35,000 in Texas receiving the questionnaire from State Statistician Cary Palmer of the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service in Austin. The questionnaires will be mailed during the last half of October.

Accurate estimates are of great importance to producers in planning their production and marketing, farm program participation and also for providing an unbiased picture of Texas agriculture.

The Program of estimates for each county is provided by the Texas Legislature. Since Texas covers such a wide area and with great diversification of

Windham-Studdard vows pledged Oct. 12

Miss Vanessa Jean Windham and Jimmy Earl Studdard pledged wedding vows at 5:00 p.m. Saturday, October 12, in the home of the groom's parents with Rev. G. A. Van Hoose officiating for the cere-

Parents of the couple are Mr. A. E. Windham of Anchrople, Alaska and Mrs. Ann Lester of Levelland, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Studdard of Morton.

Miss Denise Windham, sister of the bride, was maid of honor wearing a street length dress of beige linen and lace. The bride wore a white lace dress with embroidered lace. She carried a white bible topped with white carnations.

Ronald Studdard, brother of the groom, served as the best man. A reception in the home of the groom followed the wedding. The bride's table was covered with a white linen table cloth centered with a four tiered cake decorated with blue roses topped with the traditional bride

The bride is a graduate of Levelland High School, attended New Mexico Junior College, and South Plains College. The groom is a past graduate of Morton High School and attended South Plains College.

The couple will make their home at 722 East Osborn, Phoenix, Arizona, where the groom is attending DeVry Institute of Technology.

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Homecoming at Seagraves set

Plans are complete to host gala Homecoming festivities at Seagraves High School on Friday, November 1, and special recognition will be given to the class

Seagraves alumni will return and are invited to participate in the activities which include a giant bonfire on Thursday. October 31, at 7:30 p.m. Registration will be held at the high school all day Friday, November I. A pep rally is scheduled at 1:30 p.m. in the gym with a parade through downtown at 2:30 p.m. Open house will be held by the homemaking department from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. The Homecoming Queen will be crowned at 7:00 p.m. The Homecoming football game will start at 7:30 p.m. at Eagle Field when the Seagraves Eagles will meet the Wink Wildcats.

There will be an ex-students meeting after the ball game in the Seagraves Roller Rink. All Seagraves alumni are urger to attend the 1968 Homecoming Activities.

Whiteface Study Club met Thusday, Oct. 5

The Whiteface Study Club met Thursday, October 3, in the homemaking department of the high school,

The program included a film shown by Mrs. Louise Lucas on the federation of women's clubs; a review of the new bylaws by Mrs. Elmer Evans; and the reading of the club collect led by Mrs. John Fietz.

A business meeting followed the program during which four new members were voted into the club. The new members are: Mrs. Gaylon Baldwin, Mrs. Lester Dupler, Mrs. Carroll Lanier and Mrs. Marshall Cooper.

Refreshments were served by hostess, Mrs. Wendell Dunlap, to members Mesdames Billy Wall, Louise Lucas, John Fietz, J. W. Smith, Elmer Evans, De-Wayne Smith, Royce Elam, Marvin Lasater and to visitors, Mrs. Marshall Cooper, and Mrs. Carroll Lanier.

O. A. Warren Jr. was notified of the death of a cousin, Willie B. Walker, Wednesday, October 9, in Big Spring, Texas. The funeral was held Friday, October 11, at 10 a.m. in the First Christian Church,

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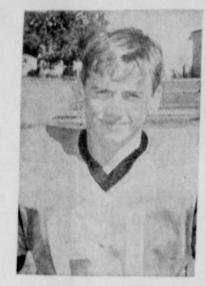
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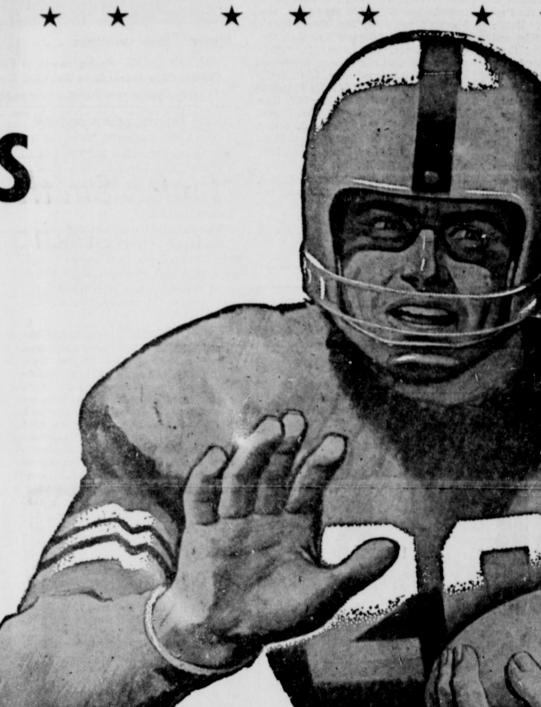
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1968 INDIAN SCHEDULE

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Morton 0	Sudan 23
Morton 0	Farwell 42
Morton 0	Ralls 28

October 18	Frenship at Frenship
October 25	Denver City at Morton
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November 8	Tahoka at Morton
November 15	Post at Post

Bula-Enochs news

inesday from a two weeks trip in They visited his sister, Mr. and D. J. Vilman at Marcede, alif., his two brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Gar-Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford tin at Janta Juan, Calif., on their irn home they spent Tuesday night clovis, N. M., with her mother, Mrs. M. Moore and Mrs. Moore returned ne with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Sanders and ehter, Kimberly of Seagraves, visited the home of their cousin, Mr. and rs. Ralph Beasley.

Guests in the Carl Hall home Friday noon were their daughter, Mr. and rs Bill Burris and children of Wellman. also attended the ballgame at Bula en Wellman and Bula, Bula lost game to Wellman with a score of

Enochs W.M.S. met 9:30 a.m. Tuesday their Mission program from the Royal vice book. Following the program there as a short business meeting. There was motion and second to have the general eting the first Tuesday of the month, d business the fourth Tuesday, and that erent groups set their time and place their meetings. Mrs. Sandra Austin inted Mrs. C. R. Seagler as Bible leader, Mrs. H. B. King appointed L. E. Nichols as Prayer leader and Harold Layton as Soul Winning

Those attending the meeting were Mesmes, L. E. Nichols, Junior Austin, J. E. vion, J. O. Dane, H. B. King, Quinton hols, J. W. Layton, Chester Petree, nie Hall, Keith Price, J. B. Vanlancham, Harold Layton, Dale Nichols, Irl Hall, C. R. Seagler, and Mrs. C. H. wars cared for the 5 children Greg Aus-Paula Nichols, Jana and Jolesa Price nd Keith Layton.

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Sullivan of Lubbock ere in route home from Dallas, where hey had been visiting their son, Rev. nd Mrs. T. J. Sullivan when a woman the rear of their car when they slowed own for construction on the road Mrs. ullivan received a broken rib and Mr. llivan was to see the Dr. again Monday r observation. The Sullivan's were forner residents of Enochs, community, and a cousin of Mrs. Joe Milsap.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Gunter recently were her brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Miller of Cooper.

Mrs. J. D. Bayless drove to Levelland Wednesday morning and went to Lubbock with her niece, Mrs. Harold Arant and visited with her sister, Mrs. Ray Cunningham and Mrs. Owens of Wells, also a niece, Mrs. Dwayne Vaughn and her daughter, Mrs. Britt Roberson and son Jackie of Lubbock in the home of her sister, Mrs. Gracy Swanner and son

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Newman and children Matt, Mark and Cindy also Mrs. Newman mother, Mrs. Colgan all of Dallas, spent the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Newman. Other supper guests in the Newman home Tuesday were Mrs. Bobbie Joe Newman and children, Judy, Debbie, Lanett, and Joe Bob of Muleshoe, Wednesday afternoon the group visited in the C. R. Reasoner he dmore, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Newman and family visited in his brother's home Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Joe Newman Thursday in Muleshoe.

Company in the J. C. Snitker home

last weekend were her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Green and daughter, Jimmie Lou of Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Layton and children, Susan and Robert visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Mize and son, Sterling at Crosbyton Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Snitker went to Roswell, N. M. Saturday to be at the bedside of their son Stanley as he underwent emergency surgery for a bleeding ulcer, the Dr. removed one-fourth of his stomach. The last report he was doing

Fishing at the Logan lake Friday were Edd Autry and his son-in-law Jack Jackson of Clovis, Mrs. Autry and Mrs. Jackson joined their husbands Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Newton and sons, Steve and Tom and Patricia Grusendorf drove to College Station Friday night after the football game at Bula, to visit the Newtons son Dennis who is going to college at A&m they returned home Sun-

The farmers are very grateful for the beautiful fall weather, the cotton is opening very fast. The Enoch Co-op Elevator is still crowded.

Dean Gilliam gined the first bale of cotton gathered in the community Friday at the Enochs gin. The bale weighed out at 435 pounds. It was the third ginned in the county.

Mrs. Preston Harrison and son Chad returned home Saturday from her trip to Lewisville and Andrews, his nephew, William Lee Nixson of Lewisville returned with her for a three weeks visit.

Lesia Angel of Lubbock spent Saturday night and Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Olive Angel.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall were in Lubbock Sunday afternoon to visit her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Burns. He has been

Mrs. Guy Sanders went to Roaring Springs Sunday after-noon to see her mother, Mrs. M. D. Harding who is ill.

Mr. George Fine visited in Lockney Tuesday till Saturday with her brother, Harmon Mills. Mrs. Mills spent the week in a hospital at Temple she has been ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Campbell were in Lubbock Monday to be at the bedside of their son Erwin Campbell as he had surgery on his gums. He was able to go home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Johnson moved to Tahoka last week. They will be missed very much in the community as they have lived in Enochs many years. We wish them good luck and happiness in their new community.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Petree Sunday were her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Williamson of Lubbock and their sons, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Petree of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Dannie Petree and son, Monte also his sister-inlaw Mrs. Syble Petree of Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Milsap drove to Borger Sunday to visit her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Byars visited in the home of an uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Osie Price of Carlsbad, N. M., Sunday to be with them and a host of relatives as Mr. and Mrs. Price celebrated their 60th aniversary.

Fishing at a lake near Hub Saturday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Duane Clem and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bayless.



Winners at show

OTHER HONORS at Cochran County Garden Club Flower Show were: Mrs. Hessie B. Spotts winning the Award of Merit in Horticulture, and Mrs. C. B. Jones who won the Sweepstakes in Horticulture and also had 20 blue ribbons. Design Studio Photo

Emlea Smith Jr. Study Club has meeting, hears Ford

The Emlea Smith Jr. Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Doug Reed. Mrs. Reed and Mrs. Ted Whillock served as

Following the refreshments, Mrs. Rodney Fralin introduced Mr. Frank Ford, Republican candidate for State Representative. Mr. Ford discussed some of the issues of this campaign with club members and answered their questions concerning his view point on local and district problems. Mr. Ford stated that Texas has dropped to 44th in literacy and he felt that teachers must be paid in accordance with salaries in surrounding states and they must also be able to compete with salaries in other fields. He also emphasized the need for on-the-job-training in industry. He does not support a tuition increase for colleges. Concerning economic growth. Mr. Ford has been pushing increased cattle feeding. He stated that Cochran County could feed 135,000 head per year on maize grown in the County, and this would create 70 new jobs and also attract industries which support feed

Mrs. Tommy Hawkins presided at the business meeting. Details were discussed for the Annual Halloween Carnival on Thursday, October 31, and plans were made to attend the District Board Meeting at Friona on October 19. Also during the business meeting, Mrs. Mike Doss was elected as a new member.

Those attending were: Mesdames Thelbert Asbill, James Dewbre, Tom Davey, Bill Foust, Rodney Fralin, Sherrill Griffith, Jimmy Harris, Tommy Hawkins, Richard Houston, Ronnie Johnson, Don Lynskey, Bob Polvado, Earl Polvado, Glynn Price, J. W. Tyson, James Walker, Ray Tucker, Jim Claunch, Keith Price,

Simpson's honored with house-warming

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Simpson and family of Maple were honored with a surprise house-warming Friday night, October 11. Hostesses for the affair were the young married peoples Sunday School class of Three Way Baptist Church.

Several friends and relatives attended and many useful gifts were received.

Junior Study Club to sponsor carnival

The Emlea Smith Junior Study Club will sponsor the 3rd Annual Halloween Carnival on Thursday, October 31, at 6:00 p.m. at the County Activity Building. Space is still available for booths and those interested should contact Mrs. Thelbert Asibill.

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon S. Sublett were visited this past weekend by her brother, Don Word, from Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Weed were visited by their daughter, Maureen, and her children, Mac nad Vanessa, from Arlington last weekend.

Mrs. Faye Word, from Long Grove, Oklahoma, has been here in Morton the past two weeks in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Vernon E. Sublett.

News from Threeway

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Simpson from Levelland spent the week end with his parents the J. S. Simpsons.

Joe Wheeler from Paris, spent a few days visiting his parents the Johnnie Whee-

Boys wanting to join the Cub Scouts are invited to attend the next Pack meeting at the Scout Hut in Maple October 31 at 8 p.m. The boys must be accompanied by their parents.

The FFA Chapter of the Three Way High school met and installed the officers for the year. They are, president, Johnnie Furgeson, vice president, Gent Abbe, Secretary, Allen Davis, Sentinal, Boyd Gibbs, Reporter, Mickel Sowder, Treasurer, Mike Lynsky, Advisor, Ed Blankenship, Sweetheart, Kathy Wittner,

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Eubanks attended the Commissioners convention in Austin this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller and daughter from Canyon spent the week end with her mother and grandmother Mrs. P. L. Fort and Bennie Long.

Mrs. Mack Sides and son is spending few days with her parents the Jay Boyce family and other relatives in the

Verdell Turner from Lubbock visited his Aunt Mrs. P. L. Fort Monday after-

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Garvin left by plane Thursday for Houston to visit their daughter and family S/Sgt. and Mrs. Kenneth R. Fox and children.

The Adolph Wittner home was the scene of a pink and blue shower Tuesday afternoon honoring Mrs. Ed Blankenship. About 65 ladies called or sent gifts.

Mrs. Jack Furgeson visited her mother in Lenord the past week. Willford Newton visited with the J. P.

Powells and many of his long ago friends. Mrs. J. P. Powell gave a baby shower for Mrs. Lamar Pollard (Barbra Dean Maston) Monday October 14. Mrs. W. F. Stewart visited the R. L.

Davis's Tuesday. Ball games for this week were home games. Both Jr. High and Sr. High played 12-6. High School vs. Sundown 60-3. Ray Hanna's from Stegall have moved

to Maple Mrs. Jack Ferguson went to McKinney to take A. W. Furgeson to the doctor at

Ardmore, Okla. Mr. & Mrs. Gig Dupler went to Lubbock

Rita Ampron was the guest of Lanita

Powell Monday. Mr. & Mrs. M. E. Joyce from Houston are visiting with Mrs. Robinson. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sanders will be out for Sunday dinner and visit with the Joyces.

Mr. Bob Sanders will drive his wife and three other teachers from Muleshoe to McAllen, Texas for a teachers meeting this week.

Mrs. Lamar Pollard and family and sister Kathrine Maston are visiting at the home of their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Eubanks foved into their new home this week. Marge Powell and Evelyn Davis went

to visit Marie Robinson at the Muleshoe Nursing Home.

Kandy Sowder had a Slumber Party at her home Friday night, October 11.

Todd Simpson, Maple, celebrates birthday

Simpson of Maple, was honored on his fifth birthday Saturday, October 5 at his

Cake, ice cream and punch were served to: Alan Fine, Michelle Lane, Mark and Renee Lowe, Connie Jo Foust, Ken and Bill Eubanks, Gloria, Dale and Jan Simpson, Brad Stegall, Mitzi Altman, and the

honoree Todd Simpson. Others attending were the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Dewbre and Mrs. Gayle Simpson, Other guests were Mrs. Billy Simpson, Mrs. F. D. Fine, Mrs. Billy Foust, Mrs. Frank Stegall II, Mrs. Don Lowe, Mrs. Wayland Altman, and Mrs. Jack Lane.

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ms here is 'big sister" taking one of the younger girls for a horseback ride one of several horses at Girlstown, USA. The little one was the youngest here until recently when 'Litle Alice', shown in another picture, arrived to ake her place as the "littlest". Design Studio Photo



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da Neal is shown here talking to her mentor, Marshall Cooper, executive dior of Girlstown. Linda spent 17 years at Girlstown and although now work-Lubbock as a hair stylist, she returns "home" at every opportunity for Design Studio Photo

What a revelation and inspiration it was on a Sunday afternoon when, accompanied by his wife, Anne, and son, John, who happened to be at home on leave from the U.S. Coast Guard, I drove out to view the realization of a dedicated woman's dream - GIRLSTOWN, USA.

It is a continuing dream with those charged with the manifold responsibilities of administration as evidenced by the large architect drawing in the foyer of the office and dwelling of Marshall W. Cooper, managing director. Marshall and Wanda Cooper have children of their own. Wanda, the wife and mother, is an able assistant and co-worker.

In commenting on the drawing in the vestibule Cooper says it is but a dream of his now but that he expects to see its realization in the future. It is an architect's plan, in color, for a building to house facilities for a complete gymnasium in one end and under the same roof classrooms for the teaching of vocational skills and crafts.

The history of Girlstown, USA is faci-nating. Founded in 1949, a generation ago, by a lone woman, Amelia Anthony, at Buffalo Gap, Texas, and moved to its present location 9 miles south of Whiteface four months later, the home has had its ups and downs.

Situated on 1425.6 good acres of ground donated by the late Tom Duggan of Lubbock, the place has been "home" to more than 500 girls during the intervening years since its inception at Buffalo Gap when an unwanted child was thrust through the door before the old two-story house, then being remodeled, was ready for opening on the date set for the occasion - March

Up until that time no institution of its kind had been established for girls anywhere in the United States, although two of like nature for boys were well known -Boystown in Nebraska and Boys' Ranch at Old Tascosa, north of Amarillo, There is now a Girls Town in New York state and also one in Florida and a Girls' Ranch near Midland.

Let it be said here and now that, contrary to the belief held by some, Girlstown, USA is not, we repeat NOT a state tax supported home for wayward girls. It is, instead, a home for neglected, unloved and unwanted girls from infants to age 16, who come from broken homes and have no other place to go. It exists mainly by contributions from individuals and groups of individuals such as Beta Sigma Phi - Rotary - Lions - Jaycees - the Jane Phillips Sorority, etc. It should be noted here also that, according to the directors, less than three percent of girls who have left Girlstown have failed to become responsible citizens and a credit to the home in every way.

As stated before, more than 500 girls have called this fine institution home at some time during the past nineteen years. However, wonderful as this is, the much greater need is pointed up in the fact that in one fiscal year some 780 worthy referrals had to be turned away because of the physical and financial limitations of the present time. This is nothing short of tragedy in the light of the fact that billions of American dollars are being spent on foreign shores in the nature of aid to the needy.

We have been told that about two years ago the Girlstown situation in regard to finances were so bad that, with a debt of some \$28,000, there was talk of closing down the institution. Marshall Cooper and his good wife would listen to no such talk. Instead he took to the road talking Girlstown to any and all who would listen, whether a few or many were gathered together, with the result that before long the deficit was cleared up. This was in part due to the fact that local Jaycees got its needs recognized state-wide and put on the state program for aid, receiving regular donations from various Jaycee organizations. Cooper says he also used girls singing groups from the home to help raise money in the greatest time of stress. Some of the girls have also worked out, especially during watering seasons, and donated a part of their earnings to the cause. This outside work is, of course, not required of the girls but is done by them strictly on a volunteer basis.

One of the youngest and latest additions to the residents of Girlstown is a little tyke, only 18 months old, who was deserted by her parents and left with her grandparents, along with five others. These little girls were beaten unmercifully by these relatives and scarred for life. A two and one-half year old sister of little Alice was so severely treated that she later died from injuries sustained at the time. The grandparents are now languishing in jail pending outcome of criminal charges arising out of the mistreatment of these six youngsters, four of which are now in the West Texas Children's Home at Pyote, Texas. The grandparents will be tried in

district court at Kermit, Texas. One look at the picture of Little Alice, shown on this page, is enough to cause most anyone to resolve to do anything within their power to help right the wrongs that are being perpetrated against the young and innocent youths, both boys and girls, but especially girls, in this great state of Texas. In this connection, let us say that there is much that any of us can do to help. The girls at Girlstown are normal, healthy girls and their needs are

many and continuing. Food, school clothing, supplies, merchandise - all of these things - as well as money - are always welcome. These gifts can be made on an individual basis or they can come through organizational activities of clubs and groups banding together to adopt Girls-

town as a special project. Sunday afternoon we were fortunate in that we were able to interview one of the many girls, who having left Girlstown, nevertheless come back "home" at every opportunity to visit. This young lady, Linda Neal, who spent seventeen years in all at Girlstown, graduated when she was twenty and moved to Lubbock where she underwent 16 months of training under the tutelage of Jessie Lee to become a very proficient, professional hair stylist. She was picked as Miss Girlstown of 1965 while at the home and is presently working in a Lubbock beauty salon.

Linda is a lovely girl. Her outlook on life is that of a girl who has enjoyed every privilege of a real home with real parents. She has two sisters, one now residing in Morton, after having spent thirteen years at the Girlstown home. Admittedly, many girls come to Girls-

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This appealing little girl is named Alice. She is the youngest and latest arrival at Girlstown. Born February 23, 1967, she had led a hectic existence until her arrival here.



Pictured here are seven of the home during a "story hour" the younger girls are house in completely home-like surin one room of the large, older dormitory where many of

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These girls were arranged in front of the large, 10-ft, fireplace in the dining area which occupies half of the building donated to Girlstown, USA by a brother of George Maybee, Amarillo, in his memory. A picture of the late

George Maybee may be seen above the fireplace which separates the dining quarters from the recreation areas in the other half of the building. A small circular stage backs the fireplace and a piano is also in this section as well as chairs down the sides of the walls. Design Studio Photo

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Wednesdays-		
Midweek Service	_ 7:30	p.m.

AS THE SEA

Standing in the sand, looking at the sea, one cannot help thinking of the boundless, fathomless love of God toward us. Oh, how he loves us, uplifts us, protects us and encourages us. There comes to mind many of his precious promises and the heart swells with gratitude. Recalled first of all, perhaps, are verses like these:

"Fear thou not; for I am with thee: be not dismayed; for I am thy God: I will strengthen thee: yea, I will help thee."

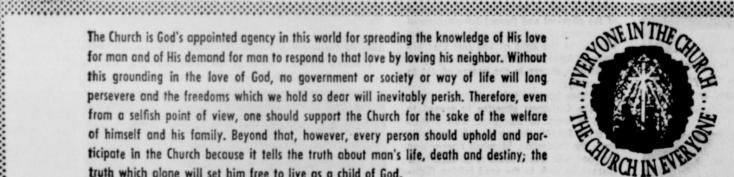
"Yea, I have loved thee with an everlasting love: therefore with loving kindness have I drawn thee." Jeremiah 31:3.

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

"For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved." John 3:16, 17.

Many more words of comfort await you in the Bible and in the Church as His words are proclaimed from the pulpit. We invite you to attend church this week. You will be glad you did.

The Church is God for man and of Hi this grounding in persevere and the from a selfish po of himself and h ticipate in the Ch truth which alone The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.



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Editorials — Get out the vote

In the last election, one third of the tion's eligible citizens failed to vote d thereby carry out the first obligathat every U. S. citizen owes to mself and his country. Between now nd election day, every voter should ake sure that he is registered and take e time to familiarize himself with indidates and the point of view they

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n this year's general election, the merican people will select a Presient and thousands of other office olders including U. S. Senators and presentatives, governors and state gislators. These officials will make and nister the laws of the land under hich we all must live. They will decide

on the role of government in our lives, the amount of taxes we must pay, the wars we must fight and how many of our young men must serve in which branches of the armed forces and for how long. Every voter owes it to himself to take part in selecting the best men and women to carry out these vital functions.

If you expect to be away from home on election day, November 5, arrange to cast an absentee ballot. It is estimated absentee voting accounts for from one per cent to six per cent of the total vote. This can mean victory or defeat for the candidates of your choice. This November, know the issues and the people - then VOTE.

Under false pretenses

Much continues to be heard concerng the need for legislative control over mufacturers and retailers of goods services in order to assure that the sumer is protected in the truth-inackaging and labeling, countless simpieces of legislation and investigaons and inquiries into the practices and ricing of industres and companies ad finitum, ad nauseum. It is time a furthis that government can represent itas the source of security and ecowell-being, when in fact it igate spending policies have crit-

ically undermined the value of the dollar and continue to boost inflation and subtract dangerously from the economic security of all U. S. citizens.

All of us are consumers of government whether we like it or not. But, it seems about time that correct labels were put on the attractively packaged political proposals for which we are now mortgagind the future of our great grandchildren's grandchildren. The taxpayers are captive consumers of government service and programs. They are in urgent need of some consumer protection of their own.

Fighters for freedom

n Czechoslovakia, communist totalifianism has destroyed its most feared

VETERANS LAND BOARD SALE

The Veterans Land Board will receive sealed bids at the General Land Office, Austin, Jexas, until 11:00 o'clock A.M., November 19, 1968, for the sale of 65 tracts of land. There will be 32 tracts offered to eligible Texas veterans only in Brown, Callahan, Cameron, Clay, Dickens. cameron, Clay, Dickens, Gaines, Guadalupe, Hidalgo, Hunt, Jasper, La Salle, Liberty, Milam, Potter, Rains, Randall, Reeves, Yoakum and Zavalla Counties. There will be 33 tracts offered to nonveterans and eligible Texas veterans in Cameron, Dimmit. veterans in Cameron, Dimmit, Hidalgo, Maverick and New-ton Counties.

Tracts may be financed through the Veterans Land Board. For information and isting of tracts write to:

JERRY SADLER

Commissioner of the General Land Office Austin, Texas 78701

enemy — the free press. Newspapers and broadcasters in that country are now forbidden to make any news report that "could be considered as criticism" by the Soviet-led occupation forces. In the United States, nearly 11,000

newspapers serve as watchdogs of the publicinterest. The editors are free to report the news and comment on it as they see fit. With the free press looking over its shoulder, government from City Hall to the White House has to put its best foot forward, and outright oppression of the people becomes impossible.

For various reason, freedom of the press in the United States has been criticized and proposals put forward to limit its ability to report the news. Different explanations for this have been cited including national security and the question of whether pretrial reporting of crime news makes it impossible to get an impartial jury. In debating the latter point with a member of the legal profession the managing editor of The New York Times has said, ".... We newspapermen do not believe that able than a degree in journalism. . . 1 a law degree makes a man more honor-

have absolutely no doubt that the free press in America has prevented and corrected far more injustice that it has committed."

This about sums it up. The action taken in Czechoslovakia is another reminder of the role played by the free press in preserving the freedom of any society, including our own.

Girlstown

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town with problems, both large and small. Miss Neal says she thinks a girl may have a better chance of solving her problems when associated with many other girls of all ages, than if she were in a home with real parents, and especially so if the parents fail to understand and help with those problems. In this we were inclined to agree wholeheartedly. If Girlstown is to be judged by the attitudes and appearances of the girls one sees out there on a Sunday afternoon, then it certainly deserves an A-plus on every count.

This non-profit, no-sectarian institution is providing homeless girls with an apron string to tie to and as such deserves the thoughtful consideration of anyone with a desire to become a benefactor of the human race. Marshall Cooper has had much experience in dealing with humanitarian problems and has continuously sought to bring his ideas about the needs of Girlstown and ways in which to expand its operations to the attention of those in charge of large foundation funds but so far his efforts along this line has not been fruitful.

This writer would like to stress that in every way and by every measurement Girlstown, with all its setbacks, is a tremendous success. Some 88 girls are now being cared for and schooled. The operation is currently on a sound financial basis but the place is overflowing with girls and the need for additional buildings and facilities is an ever-present challenge.

So far, lease money from 1300 of the 1425.6 acres of Girlstown has been turned back into improvements such as 10 irrigation wells, underground pipe for carrying water to the far reaches of the land, and other things. They raise their own pork and some of their vegetables at the home. Other livestock to be found is 15 registered Angus cows and a bull. Offsprings of these animals are too valuable moneywise to be eaten at the home so beef is purchased outside when it is need-

While this will by no means be the last this writer will have to say about Girlstown, we would like to leave the reader with this last thought. With all due respect for those who so eagerly advocate the adoption of some foreign orphan or by other means support some child, worthy though they may be and deserving, in some land beyond the sea with no hope of seeing the results of their charity we say charity begins at home. Why not let your light shine here at home in America where the need is so great and where one may have every opportunity of seeing that the money, all of it, is spent in the most worthwhile way.

BLEDSOE

NEWS ITEMS

By JAN WEAVER

The Rex Griffiths attended the Texas Tech vs. Colorado State University football game at Lubbock on Saturday night,

Y. F. Bowley, Jr., Maye and John went to Amarillo Saturday, October 5th. They visited Chris, who is stationed at the Air Force Base there.

The Cochran County T. S. T. A. met for their first meeting of the year in the Bledsoe School auditorium on Monday night, October 7th. Teachers and administrators from the three schools in the county, Morton. Whiteface and Bledsoe, were in attendance. Mrs. Mayme King was in charge of the program which consisted of a skit depicting some trying moments of a school teacher performed by Margie Griffiths, two piano numbers played by Jan Weaver, and a reading entitled "Why Not", read by Mrs. Marilyn Doss. A business meeting was conducted following the program. Refreshments were served in the school cafeteria to those in attendance.

On Tuesday, October 8, the first meeting of the year for the Region XVII Small Schools Association was held in Levelland. All the Bledsoe faculty members attended this meeting.

The Senior Play will be presented next Friday night, October 18th. These students and sponsors have been working diligently on this play, and are hoping for a good attendance at its presentation, Curtain time is, 8:00 p.m. in the school auditor-

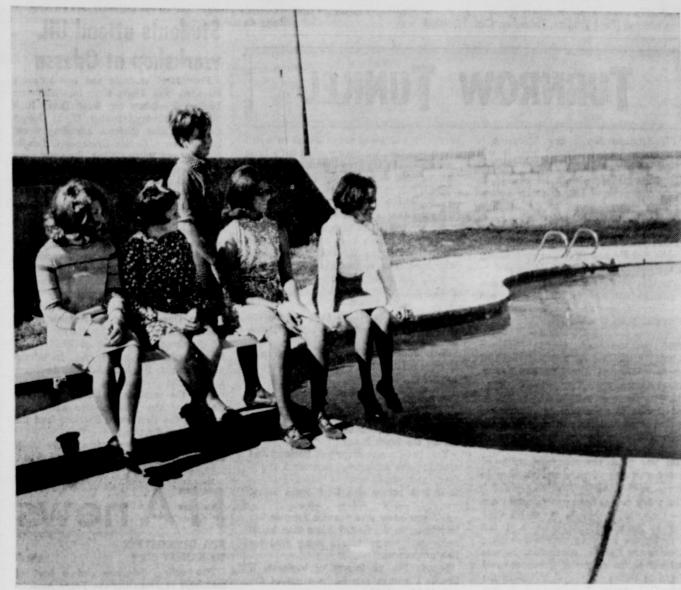
Basketball season starts in Bledsoe on October 22 when the Junior and Senior girls play Three Way there, at 6:30 p.m. All the Auxiliaries of the Baptist Church are now in full swing with workers for all groups. GA's, RA's, and Sunbeams meet at the church immediately after school each Wednesday afternoon for refreshments followed by departmental instruction in each group.

Look who's new...

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dannie Tankersley was a 7 lb. 121/4 oz. baby girl on Sunday morning, October 13 in the Clovis hospital. The baby was named Alicia

The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Outlaw of Morton, and Mr. and Mrs. Burton Tankersley of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Grove from Coburn, Oklahoma were visiting friends in Morton. The Groves lived in Morton at one time. Mrs. Ella Pledger went to Las Cruces to visit her children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rhyne, also Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pledger.



The five girls seated on the springboard would like nothing better than a plunge into the pool completed this year, compliments of the Jane Phillips Sorority. However, the water was a little too cold for a bathing revue.

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Raymond P. Monacelli receives promotion

OGDEN, Utah - Raymond P. Monacelli, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Monacelli of 123 Fairview Ave., Rutherford, N. J., has been promoted to first lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force.

Lieutenant Monacelli, base civil engineer at Hill AFB, Utah, is a member of the Air Force Logistics Command.

A graduate of Abraham Lincoln High School, Brooklyn, N.Y., he received his B. S. degree in mechanical engineering from New Mexico State University, where he was commissioned in 1966 upon completion of the Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps program,

The lieutenant's wife, Penelope, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brown of 606 F. Grant. Morton.

Jean McMinn hosts YWA party

A Y.W.A. slumber party was hosted by Jeanie McMinn Saturday, October 12. The girls enjoyed a Mexican Food sup-

per prepared by themselves. On Sunday morning the girls had a surprise breakfast for all the new mem-

Those attending the event were Karen Fred, Beverly Brown, Jeanie McMinn, Karen Rozell, Charolette Jones, Deborah Miller, Marilyn Cade, Barbara Bremblett, Melba Townsend, Diane Avery, Diane McCasland, Vicki Goodman, Peggy Thomas, Glorette Gray, Lana Smith, and Ruthie Smith.

The breakfast was hosted by Mrs. Ruth Bass and Mrs. Blackie Reynolds,

Phone your NEWS to 266-5576

"Turn on your lights at ausk" warns DPS

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated four accidents on rural highways in Cochran County during the month of September, according to Sergeant A. E. Roberts, Highway Patrol Supervisor of this

The Morton (Tex.) Tribune, Thursday, Oct. 17, 1968

These crashes resulted in three persons injured and an estimated property damage

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first nine months of 1968 shows a total of 22 accidents resulting in no persons killed, 14 persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$18,975.

"Accidents Go Up When The Sun Goes Down," is a slogan so true. Darkness hides danger, giving the driver a false sense of security. That is the reason traffic accidents increase during October's shorter days and longer nights. Statistics prove that traffic deaths will increase over 40 per cent during this period of shorter

days and longer nights. At sundown, long shadows and fading

light make it increasingly difficult for drivers to spot traffic hazards and stop in time. The veteran patrol supervisor said, "Make it a habit to turn on your driving lights at the first sign of fading light and falling shadows."

Layette shower for Mrs. Ed Blankenship

Mrs. Edward Blankenship, of the Three Way Community, was honored with a layette shower Tuesday, October 8, in the home of Mrs. Adolph Wittner.

She received many beautiful and useful gifts. The hostess gift was a lovely yellow gown and robe set and gold slides.

Co-hostesses for the shower were Mesdames; Mrs. Doyle Davis, Jack Furgeson, Ed Neutzler, Jack Hutcheson, Earl Bowers, and Adolph Wittner.



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If Geo. Wallace should be elected, it would take a lot of LSD to make a demonstrator crazy enough to lie down in front of that thing.

Don't you think Curt Flood should have caught that fly ball in the seventh inning in the last game of the World Series?

Yes, but that's the way my luck runs. I had a little bet on the Cards, and Flood comes up with "Dodge Fever" on a crucial play.

Did you read that Orville Freeman is being mentioned for a job as head of the Association of American Railroads?

That figures. The railroads are trying to eliminate many of their passenger trains, and Orville is an expert at elimination. He has eliminated more farmers than the boll weevil.

Do you think newsmen are guilty of biased reporting of riots and violence in

In a few cases, but most reporters are just trying to do their jobs, and it's their duty to be where the action is. I felt sorry for one fellow I read about - after covering the Chicago convention, he was assigned to the corner of Commerce and Akard in Dallas on the night before the Texas-O.U. game. I understand he has asked to be sent to Vietnam for "rest and recuperation."

Did you read that Red China's defense minister has abolished rank in the Chinese army? All soldiers are consider-

That should be a fighting outfit, but most of the fighting will be to decide who pulls K.P. duty.

-0- -0-I understand that many new apartment houses being built have a policy of renting to single people only.

That's what I call "housing discrimination." I don't think people looking for an apartment should be penalized for a past mistake.

-0- -0- 0-Don't you think many current television shows are unfit for children?

It's pretty hard to shock kids these days, but some of the shows are so raw that

my wife and I are embarrassed to watch them together. We have worked out a little system - she watches the afternoon soap operas, and I watch the late shows at

I read that a prominent scientist said there are intelligent beings on other planets, and they have been observing life on Earth from flying saucers. It he's right, why have none of them landed?

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Well, the man said they were intelli-

0 _0_ _0_ Russia and the U.S. have agreed not to use the moon for military purposes. Do you approve?

Yes. Judging from those photographs, keeping soldiers happy on the moon would require a heckuva good PX.

0 _0_ _0_ Have you been reading about the gal with the well-filled sweater who has been attracting huge crowds along Wall Street during the lunch hour?

Yes, but I'm not surprised. Bankers and stockbrokers are always interested in figures, and you'll have to admit that 43-25-37 is a pretty nice Dow Jones index. -0- -0- -0-

Did you know that "catfish farming" is increasing in the South? More than 26,000 acres of farm ponds are being used for fish production.

Sounds like an interesting business, if Orville Freeman can be kept out of the act. He'd probably wat to set up a government loan program, and give each producer a catfish allotment.

MHS band officers

The Morton High School Band elected officers last week. They are: President, Todd Fields: Vice-President, J. Wayne McDermett; Secretary, Patsy Collins; and Historian-reporter, Zodie Ledbetter.

The band council consists of all these officers, the drum major (Byron Willis), and a representative from each class: Senior, David Salinas, Junior, Glorietta Gray, Sophomore, Monte Dewbre, and Freshman, Charlie Marina. Band representative to the Student Council is Byron

Texas' 48 refineries processed 961 million barrels of crude oil in 1967, an amount equal to 86% of state crude production.

Students attend UIL workshop at Odessa

Four MHS students and two sponsors attended the University Interscholastic League Workshop for West Texas High Schools Saturday, October 12, at Odessa College. Those students attending were: Becky Harris, Gerald Grusendorf, Janella Nebhut, and Patsy Collins. Sponsors were Mr. David Murrah and Mr. Eddie Allsup. The workshop was for the purpose of instructing high school students interested in entering the UIL literary events next

Registration began at 8:00 a.m. and a general assembly was held to introduce all the instructors and schools represented. Then workshops were held on Ready Writing, Persuasive Speaking, Informative Speaking, Prose Reading, Poetry Interpretation, Science, Slide Rule., Newspaper, Debate, One-Act Play, and Number Sense. Patsy Collins and Becky Harris attended the three-hour session on Ready Writing; Gerald Grusendorf and Mr. Allsup attended the 21/2 hour Science Seminar; and Janella Nebhut and Mr. Murrah attended the sessions on Debate and One-Act Play. Mr. Murrah also sat in on parts of the Persuasive Speaking and the Informative Speaking.

The workshop was concluded by 12:00, and the group arrived home about 3:30

FFA news

FFA DELEGATION TO KANSAS CITY

Two voting delegates and a host of members representing the Texas Association Future Farmers of America will attend the National FFA Convention in Kansas City, Missouri.

The National Convention will open October 15 with over 10,000 FFA members and guest from 50 states and Puerto Rico.

Danny Burns, 1967-1968 State FFA President from Pittsburg, and Larry King, 1967-68 State Vice President from Anson. will serve as official voting delegates for the Texas delegation.

Major items of business to be considered will be a proposed constitutional change to include girl membership, FFA name change, and voting delegate representation. At present each state sends two delegates to the convention. The proposed change would allow states to be more equally represented by basing delegate representation on FFA membership within the state.

Mr. George Hurt, State Director of Vocational Agricultural Education; J. A. Marshall, Assistant Directors; and G. G. Scroggins, Executive Secretary of the Texas FFA, all of Austin, will accompany the FFA members to KaCiy n . tsa sang the FFA members to Kansas City.

AMERICAN FARMER DEGREE

Forty-eight outstanding FFA members from Texas have been selected to receive the highest award given by the Future Farmers of America Organization -The American Farmer Degree.

Future Farmers of America is a national organization of boys studying vocational agriculture in public secondary schools throughout the nation. Boys become members on entering high school and may retain their membership until they are 21 years of age or three years after graduation. The American Farmers come from the older group. Only one out of each 1,000 members can receive the degree if qualified.

Members will be awarded the degree at the Wednesday afternoon session of the 40th Anniversary Convention of the National FFA in progress at Kansas City,

NATIONAL FFA BAND MEMBERS FROM TEXAS

Four Texas FFA members will participate in the FFA's 124-piece "mail order" National Band during the National FFA Convention in Kansas City, October 15-18.

Lanny Frederikson if the Groom FFA will play cornet; Babby Don McWilliams, Roosevet FFA member from Lubbock, will play cornet; Terry Lane Norris, Ralls FFA, will play trombone, and Steve Stephenson of the Groom FFA will play trom-

The FFA got its "mail order" tag from the fact that membership is recruited by correspondence, with the leader never hearing the boys play until they arrive in Kansas City for the practice sessions. They have two and a half days to be molded into a smoothly performing musical unit before their first public appearance. The band will be made up of boys from 38 states.

NATIONAL FFA CHORUS MEMBERS FROM TEXAS

Three Texas FFA members will participate in the FFA's 100-member "mail order" National Chorus during the National FFA Convention in Kansas City, October 15-18.

The Texas members are: Larry Beckworth, Tatum FFA, Tatum; Will King, Monterey FFA, Lubbock; and Phillip Ferguson, Campbell FFA, Nacogdoches

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PHEASANT KILL

If you think pheasant hunting is small business, consider that some 16,000,000 are harvested in the United States by hunters each year.

Inside the Teepee

Election is held in **Morton High School**

George C. Wallace was the decisive favorite in a presidential poll taken among Morton High School government students last Thursday. The poll was taken as a part of a nation-wide poll being taken by Civic Education Service of Washington, D.C., for publication in the "American Observer," a weekly newspaper for high school social studies classes. Of the fiftyseven students polled in the government classes taught by Mr. Elvis E. Fleming, thirty-nine, or 68%, favored Wallace; ten or 17%, favored Democrat Hubert H. Humphrey; and eight, or 14%, favored Republican Richard M. Nixon. The government classes are currently studying political parties and national elections, and they plan to poll the Morton area before the election on November 5.

Former Morton pupils enroll for classes

Donnie Harvey, Shone Sullivan, and Judy White have enrolled for the fall semester at Lubbock Christian College.

Harvey is a 1968 graduate of Morton High School and is majoring in liberal arts. He is the son of Mrs. Lessie Harvey, 319 N. W. 5th St.

Shonie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sullivan, 207 S. W. 4th. St. She is a 1967 graduate of Morton High School and is majoring in elementary education. Judy is the daughter of Mrs. Nell White,

414 S. W. 5th St. She is a 1967 graduate of Morton High School and is majoring in elementary education.

Lubbock Christian College is a private liberal arts junior college now entering its twelfth year. Beginning this year, plans for becoming a senior college will be begun and all entering freshman will have the opportunity to go the full four years at LCC. At present LCC offers associate degrees in 12 different fields.

Teacher's Day to be held by FTA members

The Future Teachers of America had a meeting at Morton High School last Monday morning. At this meeting plans were made for the Student Teachers' Day to be held November 21 and 22.

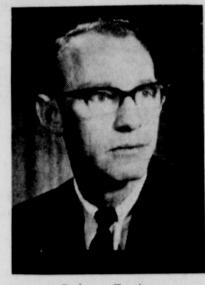
Student teachers should have a B-average in all classes, pay their dues of \$1, and work up their own lesson plans to be able to teach on these days. About 40 students attended this meeting.

Koach's Korner

From the desk of Morton's head football coach, Lane Tannehill: It's not what hies before us or behind us that counts: it's what lies within.

Phone your NEWS to 266-5576

Know your teacher...



Robert Taylor

Our administrative official for this week is Mr. Robert Taylor. He is a graduate of Southeastern Oklahoma State College. He has a B. S. in Business Education and a Masters in Educational Administration which he received from West Texas State

Taylor taught in the Friona School system for five years before coming to Morton as a Junior High football and basketball coach.

After teaching at Morton four years, Taylor is now High School Counselor.

Taylor has done post graduate work at Texas Tech, McMurry, and the University

of Corpus Christi.

Our coach of the week is Coach Dog Reed. Reed attended South Plains Colleg and graduated from West Texas Sug University with a B. A. in Physical Education. He has also done post graduat work at East Texas State University.

Besides coaching high school footbal Reed also teaches eighth grade science In his spare time, Reed enjoys watch ing football on television

Coach Reed and his wife Phyllis, but graduates of Levelland High School, N

Billy B. - Do blondes really have mon

Rita B. - You just have to prove you

Mr. and Mrs. M. — There's nothing like checking out the prices before you buy

Dee M. - Can't you make up you

Monte D. - Boy, it's a beaut. - wor

der what the other guy looks like!

Miss J. - How's Mr. "Alford"?

Whoopee in the Teepee

Terry H. and Lessel H. - How do you like the new girls in town?

D. McCasland - Well what did you think about Idalou?

Lamell A. and Dick V. - Let's have a

cessful grades??

aren't you? Alex S. - How does it feel to be a choir student?

a rush at the Pep Rally? Carol F. - Got your shoes? Got your

District grid scores

Morton 0, Ralls 28 (1 victory; 4 losses) 3 losses)

Frenship 18, Bovina 7 (1 tie: 4 victories) Tahoka 6, Seagraves 12 (2 losses; 3 vic-

Post 0, Stanton 30 (1 victory; 4 losses)

side at 305 East Grant,

point, don't you?

is there?

mind?

Coach D. R .- The sun does wonders for your hair.

Dick V. - How's the younger set??

party Thursday night. Gary S. - What is your secret to suc-

Patsy C. - Pretty handy with scissors

Viv Mc. and Diane Mc. - Were you in

horn? Got your socks? MHS and MJHS - Put a tiger in your

Denver City 6, Kermit 35 (2 victories;

Idalou 20, Abernathy 26 (4 losses; 1 tie)

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WOULD YOUR CONGRESSMAN **VOTE FOR GEORGE WALLACE?**

Some fine Texans are tempted to vote for the 3rd party candidate because they admire his stand and his statements on some of the major campaign issues . . .

STOP AND THINK WHAT WILL ACTUALLY HAPPEN ...

The best that Wallace supporters can hope for is enough strength to throw the election into the turmoil of a Congressional election by the House of Representatives...

THEN WHAT HAPPENS?

The answer is certain and simple. Wallace supporters are at the mercy of Washington Politicians! Every vote for George Wallace automatically becomes a vote for **Hubert Humphrey!**

THERE IS A BETTER CHOICE ...

A vote for the NIXON-AGNEW ticket is a positive vote for "change" with the definite promise that our National Affairs will take a new direction . . . the direction you want it to take!

YOU CAN TAKE OUR WORD FOR IT!



Ionorable John G. Tower United States Senator



United States Senator from South Carolina



IF YOU REALLY WANT A CHANGE ... NIXON'S THE ONE!

Texans for Nixon Committee, Ben H. Carpenter, Chairman

